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SUBJECT: AFDF ROAD PROJECTS

1. THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (DOT), UNDER CONTRACT FROM AID, HAS UNDERTAKEN A STUDY OF THE ROAD NETWORK IN THE SAHELIAN REGION, WITH AN EYE TOWARDS IDENTIFYING PROJECTS WHICH MIGHT FILL GAPS IN THE EXISTING NETWORK. DOT IS CONTACTING ALL BILATERAL AND MULTILATERAL DONORS TO ASCERTAIN THE STATUS OF PAST, PRESENT, AND CONTEMPLATED ROAD PROJECTS IN THE REGION.

2. DOT HAS BECOME AWARE OF FIVE AFDF ROAD PROJECTS WHICH IT BELIEVES MIGHT BE GERMANE TO THEIR MANDATE. FOR FOUR OF THE PROJECTS, WE DO NOT HAVE PROJECT DOCUMENTS IN UNCLASSIFIED

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WASHINGTON BECAUSE THE U.S. WAS NOT A MEMBER OF THE AFDF WHEN THE PROJECTS WERE APPROVED. WE WOULD APPRECIATE IT IF YOU COULD PROVIDE ONE COPY OF EACH OF THE FIVE PROJECT DOCUMENTS TO EB/IFD/ODF, STATE DEPARTMENT. IF PROJECT DOCUMENTS ARE NOT AVAILABLE, ANY INFORMATION YOU COULD PROVIDE REGARDING THE PHYSICAL DESIGN AND ENGINEERING OF THE ROADS (I.E., TYPE OF SURFACE, WIDTH, WHETHER IT

HAS SHOULDERS, ETC.) AND ECONOMIC JUSTIFICATION FOR
PROJECT WOULD BE HELPFUL.

3. LIST OF PROJECTS IS AS FOLLOWS:

CHAD - SATEGUI - DERESSIA IRRIGATION PROJECT - APPROVED
3/22/74

MALI - FEASIBILITY STUDY FOR THE SIKASSO-KIGNAN DIOILA
ROAD - APPROVED 1/16/74

SENEGAL - CONSTRUCTION OF THE LOUGA-N'GNITH ROAD -
APPROVED 10/9/74

NIGER - TARRING OF THE ZINDER-DOGO ROAD - APPROVED 2/27/76

UPPER VOLTA - CONSTRUCTION OF DORI-DJIBO ROAD -
APPROVED 1/24/78

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